(5) Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the Deputy Commissioner or an Assistant Commissioner deputed for the purpose, in the District office at Chitaldrug at 2 P.M., on the 15th August 1904, in presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

(6) The acceptance of the tender will be forthwith communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of the rest will be returned to them.

(7) Within three days of receipt of notice of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor shall credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, one-half of the total rental, including the earnest money already paid plus local cess at one anna per rupee, in default of which, the acceptance will be cancelled, the earnest money forfeited and the right re-sold.

(8) Sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting competitor, who will forfeit all gain but in the event of a loss by the sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the tender and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. If the deficit be not paid it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

(9) The successful tenderer or the lessee should work up the lease himself, and if he wishes to transfer it to others, he should obtain the sanction of the Deputy Commissioner, who will have power to insist upon the payment of a premium for granting the same.

(10) The successful tenderer or the lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions herein mentioned, and it should be executed within three days from the date on which the acceptance of the tender may be intimated to him; in default, the sum already paid will be forfeited and the right sold.

(11) The balance of the lease amount and the local cess thereon shall be paid in full in three khists in advance, on the dates mentioned below, and sufficient security must be furnished for the payment of the same. Failing to remit any of the khists on the due date, the lessee shall forfeit the sum already credited and also his claims to the produce, and the balance will be recovered as a revenue demand :—

1st khist, 31st October 1904. | 2nd khist, 31st January 1905. | 3rd khist, 30th April 1905.

Further Conditions.

(i) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under two years by his servants or sub-contractors.

(ii) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed by them for the collection of bark in the different working circles.

(iii) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer it to others without the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner.

(iv) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(v) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by them.

(vi) To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.

(vii) To hold himself responsible for the occurrence of any fire in State Forests or Plantations, provided they are caused by him or by his men and to make good any loss which may accrue thereby to valuable forest or crops.

(viii) To remove out of the limit of the Chitaldrug District and before the 15th July 1905, all bark cut, collected or stored.

(ix) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected to be confiscated, and a fine up to the limit of Rs. 1,000 may be levied by the Deputy Commissioner.

K. SHAMA IYENGAR, *Dt. Forest Officer, Chitaldrug Dt.*

COORG FOREST DEPARTMENT.

ANNUAL TIMBER SALES.

Notice, dated Mercara, 24th June 1904.

Tenders will be received up to 1st September 1904 for the following quantities of timber felled and logged departmentally in the forests of the Cauvery, Hatgat and Mawkal Ranges at fixed rates varying with locality, which may be obtained on application to the undersigned :—

Teak	30,000	c. ft.
Rosewood (Biti)	14.000	,,
Pterocarpus marsupium (Honne) ...	19,000	,,
Terminalia tomentosa (Matti) ...	12,000	,,
Lagerstroenia Microcarpa (Nandi) ...	6,000	,,
	81,000	more or less

2. Every tender for 1,500 c. ft. or upwards must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in currency notes, and tenders of 3,000 c. ft. or upwards by a deposit of Rs. 100. Covers containing tenders should be addressed to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Coorg, Mercara, and duly registered and superscribed "Tender for Timber".

3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests will be at Periyapatam on the 16th September 1904, for the purpose of allotting timber amongst tenderers, who are recommended to be present or be presented by duly accredited agents on the occasion, when the locality of logs or other information relating to accepted tenders may be obtained.

4. The Deputy Conservator of Forests does not bind himself to allot timber for the whole or any portion of any tender and he is at liberty to dispose of the whole or any portion of the supply available, previous to allotment, should this course prove to be advantageous in the interests of Government.

5. In the interests of fire conservancy the forests will be closed against the removal of timber in the fire season, which, it may be stated for the information of intending purchasers, is generally a period varying from 6 weeks to 2 months commencing from about the middle of February; but is liable to be reduced or extended according to the character of the season. Certain depots in or adjoining the forests will, however, be set apart and remain open throughout the whole of this period for the removal of timber for the convenience of those purchasers who may choose to collect timber therein in order to avoid the inconvenience of an interruption of their transport operations during the fire season.

6. The rates and conditions of sale are regulated by Notification No. 53, dated 7th September 1903, of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, for copy of which or further information apply to the undersigned.

Note.—Any tenders made after 1st September 1904 will be subject to a late fee of 1 anna per rupee of value of tender.

C. D. MCCARTHY, *Dy. Conservr. of Forests, Coorg.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

THE POLICE TRAINING SCHOOL.

Dated 2nd August 1904.

The following candidates have passed the Inspector's Test held in the month of July 1904:—

Rank.	*Name.*	*Occupation.*
1.	K. Sidda Ramappa	... Probationary Inspector.
2.	H. V. Krishna Rao	... Recruit.
3.	D. K. Vasudeva Rao	... Do
4.	V. Govindalu Naidu	... Do
5.	N. Ramaswamiah	... Do
6.	M. S. Ramachandra Rao	... Do
	M. Lakshmana Rao	... Do
7.	S. Narayanaswamy Sastry	... Do
8.	M. C. Mariappa	... 2nd Grade Jamedar, Shimoga.
9.	B. Jainulabdin	... Probationary Inspector.
10.	V. S. Govindaraju Pilly	... 1st Grade Head Constable, Kolar Gold Fields.
11.	H. Siddaraj Urs	... 2nd Grade Jamedar, Hassan.

Dated 2nd August 1904.

The following candidates have passed the Station House Officer's Test held in the month of July 1904:—

Rank.	*Name.*	*Occupation.*
1.	Hanumantha Naidu	... Recruit.
2.	Madva Vittal	... Do
3.	Munuswamy Mudaliar	... Do
4.	K. Kopresa Rao	... Lance Duffedar, Chitaldrug District.
5.	C. R. Subba Rao	... Recruit.
6.	Munuramswamy Naidu	... Do
7.	A. Kodandaramaiya	... Lance Duffedar, Mysore District.
8.	Ramakrishnaiya	... Recruit.
9.	Kenchaiya	... Do
10.	Kondappa Chetty	... Do
11.	B. Rangaiya	... 1st Class Constable, Hassan.
12.	M. Venkataramaiya	... 2nd Class Sergeant, Mysore City.
13.	Krishnappa	... 2nd Class Constable, Gold Fields.
14.	B. Hanumantha Rao	... 1st Class Sergeant, Bangalore City.
15.	S. Anthoji Rao	... 1st Class Constable, Hassan.

F. C. CARR, *Inspr. Gen. of Police.*